



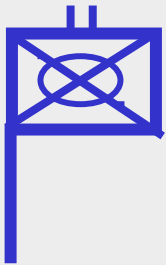
Command Post Operations



COMMAND POST

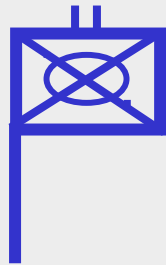
FUNCTIONS:

MAIN CP, CTCP, and FTCP



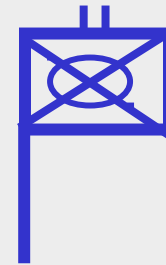
MAIN CP

- * TRACKS THE CURRENT BATTLE
- * PLANS FUTURE OPERATIONS
- * COORDINATES OPERATIONS THROUGHOUT THE DEPTH OF THE BATTLEFIELD
- * SYNCHRONIZES CS AND CSS
- * EXECUTES PLANNED DEEP OPERATIONS
- * FIGHTS REAR OPERATIONS



CTCP

- * TRACKS THE CURRENT BATTLE
- * SUSTAINS CURRENT, DEEP, AND CLOSE OPERATIONS
- * FORECASTS FUTURE CSS OPERATIONS
- * CONDUCTS DETAILED CSS PLANNING
- * ALTERNATE MAIN COMMAND POST



FTCP

- * TRACKS THE CURRENT BATTLE
- * CONTROLS CURRENT CSS OPERATIONS
- * COORDINATES WITH THE FSB
- * RESOURCES FUTURE CSS OPERATIONS
- * MAINTAINS TOTAL ASSET VISIBILITY



CTCP FUNCTIONS



- **TRACK THE CURRENT BATTLE**
- **SUSTAIN CURRENT OPERATIONS**
- **FORECAST FUTURE CSS REQUIREMENTS**
- **CONDUCT DETAILED CSS PLANNING**
- **SERVE AS THE ENTRY POINT OF UNITS ENTERING THE BATTALION REAR AREA**
- **ALTERNATE MAIN COMMAND POST**
- **MONITOR TASK FORCE COMMAND NET**
- **NET CONTROL STATION FOR TASK FORCE A/L NET**
- **COORDINATE WITH THE FSB CP**

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CRITERIA FOR CTCP TO ASSUME DUTIES OF MAIN CP



- **TOC OFF THE NET FOR A DESIGNATED TIME**
- **UPON RECEIPT OF A CONFIRMED MESSAGE THAT THE MAIN CP HAS BEEN DESTROYED**
- **AS ORDERED BY THE TASK FORCE COMMANDER**

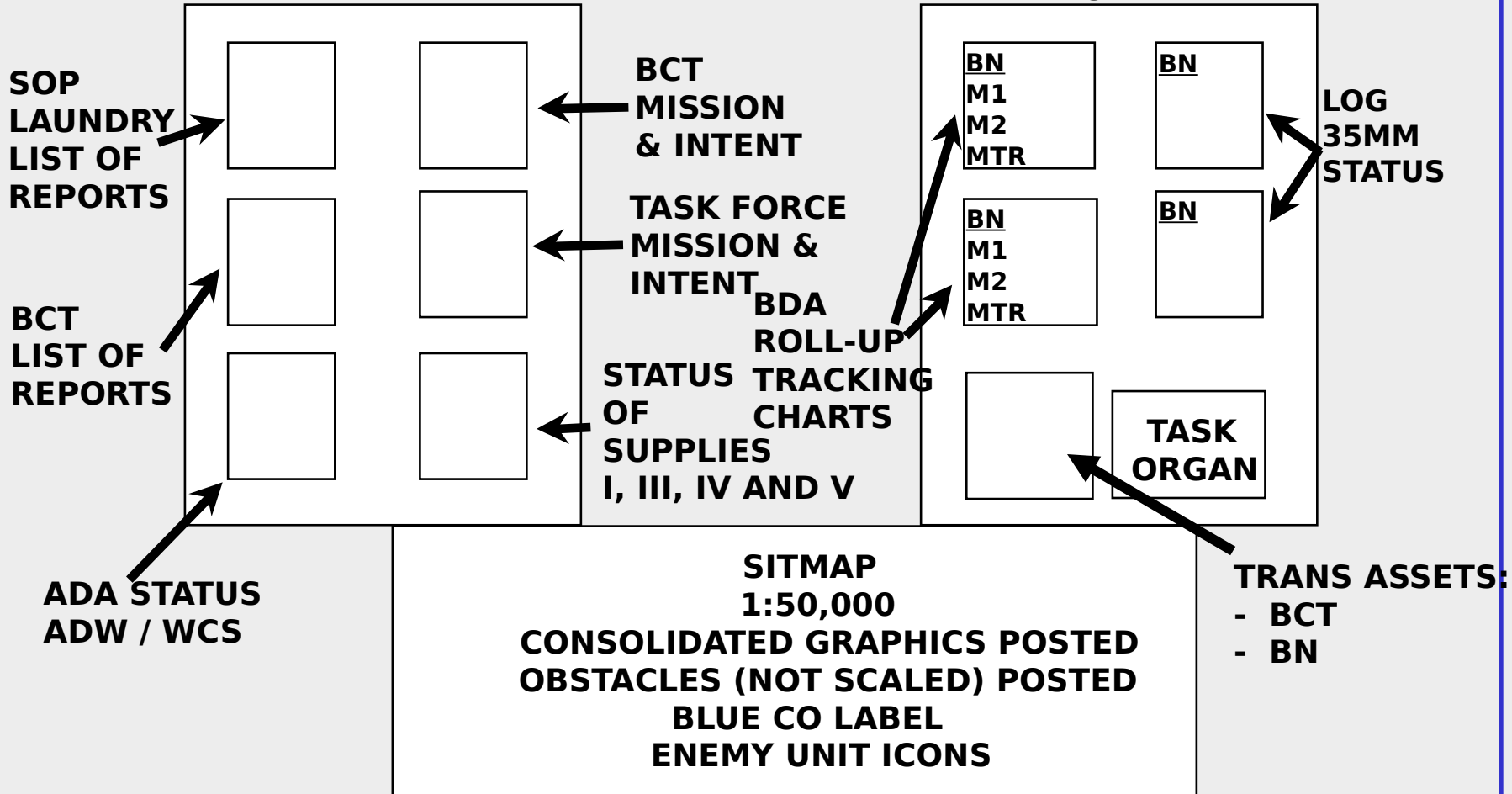


WHAT WE POST

S1 & S4 BATTLE BOARDS

LEFT WING
BOARD

RIGHT WING
BOARD





CTCP FUNCTIONS: BATTLEFIELD INFO FLOW

